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PROGRAMME OF MEETINGS AND AGENDA

SCHEDULED MEETINGS

Thursday, 13 October 1994

SECURITY COUNCIL

11 a.m.	consultations of the whole (closed)	Consultation Room

Subjects

- UNSCOM

  Report of the Secretary-General (S/1994/1138)

- IAEA

  Note by the Secretary-General (S/1994/1151)

3.30 p.m.	consultations of the whole (closed)	Consultation Room

Subjects

- Rwanda

  International Tribunal

  Statement by the President

- Haiti

  Statement by the Secretary-General

  Invitation to the President

- Somalia

- Any other business

GENERAL ASSEMBLY

Forty-ninth session

GENERAL COMMITTEE

9.30 a.m. 3rd meeting Trusteeship Council Chamber

Organization of the work of the forty-ninth regular session of the General Assembly, adoption of the agenda and allocation of items [8]:

(a) Memorandum by the Secretary-General (A/BUR/49/1 and Add.1);

(b) First report of the General Committee (A/49/250);

(c) Request for the inclusion of an additional sub-item submitted by Afghanistan (A/49/232);

(d) Letters dated 4 and 7 October 1994 from the Chairman of the Second Committee to the President of the General Assembly (A/49/483 and A/49/494).

10 a.m. 29th PLENARY MEETING General Assembly Hall

1. Report of the International Court of Justice (A/49/4) [13].

2. Question of equitable representation on and increase in the membership of the Security Council and related matters [33].

3 p.m. 30th PLENARY MEETING General Assembly Hall

1. Organization of the work of the forty-ninth regular session of the General Assembly, adoption of the agenda and allocation of items: second report of the General Committee (A/49/250/Add.1)* [8].

2. Question of equitable representation on and increase in the membership of the Security Council and related matters [33].

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* To be issued.

Committees

FIRST COMMITTEE

10 a.m.-1 p.m. 2nd meeting Conference Room 4

1. Election of the Vice-Chairmen and the Rapporteur

2. Organization of work (A/C.1/49/1 and A/C.1/49/3)

SPECIAL POLITICAL AND DECOLONIZATION COMMITTEE (FOURTH COMMITTEE)

3 p.m.- 6 p.m.	6th meeting	Conference Room 4

1. Implementation of the Declaration on the Granting of Independence to Colonial Countries and Peoples [18]

   Question of New Caledonia

   Hearing of petitioner (A/C.4/49/5)

2. Agenda items 18, 81, 82, 83 and 12 and 84 (A/49/3 (Chapters V (sect. C) and IX), A/49/23 (Parts II to VII); A/49/216 and Add.1, 287, 381, 384 and Add.1, 413, 492; A/AC.109/1179-1183, 1185-1186; 1188-1195, 1197; A/AC.109/L.1824; E/1994/114)

   General debate

SECOND COMMITTEE

10 a.m.- 1 p.m.	8th meeting	Conference Room 2

General debate *(conclusion)*

Israel
Malaysia
International Monetary Fund
Libyan Arab Jamahiriya
Philippines
Zambia
Malta
Egypt
South Africa
Organization of African Unity (IGO)
Bulgaria
Singapore
Cyprus

THIRD COMMITTEE:

WORKING GROUP

10 a.m.- 1 p.m.	closed meeting	Conference Room 1

FIFTH COMMITTEE

10 a.m.- 1 p.m.	5th meeting	Conference Room 3

Scale of assessments for the apportionment of the expenses of the United Nations [112] (A/49/11)

Continuation of the general debate

FIFTH COMMITTEE

Informal consultations

3 p.m.- 6 p.m.	closed meeting	Conference Room 6

Informal consultations on agenda item 112 (Scale of assessments for the apportionment of the expenses of the United Nations: determination of the mandates and modalities of an ad hoc body of the General Assembly to study the implementation of the principle of the capacity to pay as a fundamental criterion for determining the scale of assessments, in pursuance of General Assembly resolution 48/223C)

SIXTH COMMITTEE:

WORKING GROUP ON THE ELABORATION OF AN INTERNATIONAL CONVENTION DEALING WITH THE SAFETY AND SECURITY OF UNITED NATIONS AND ASSOCIATED PERSONNEL

Open-ended consultations on the question of compensation

9 a.m.	closed meeting	Room C-209B

SIXTH COMMITTEE

3 p.m.- 6 p.m.	11th meeting	Trusteeship Council Chamber

Report of the Special Committee on the Charter of the United Nations and on the Strengthening of the Role of the Organization [140] (A/49/33; A/C.6/49/L.3)

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ADVISORY COMMITTEE ON ADMINISTRATIVE AND BUDGETARY QUESTIONS

10.30 a.m.-1 p.m.	closed meeting	Conference Room 10
3 p.m.-6 p.m.	closed meeting	Conference Room 10

UNITED NATIONS ADMINISTRATIVE TRIBUNAL

10 a.m.-1 p.m.	closed meeting	Room DC1-1008
2.30 p.m.-6 p.m.	closed meeting	Room DC1-1008

ECONOMIC AND SOCIAL COUNCIL

ADMINISTRATIVE COMMITTEE ON COORDINATION

CONSULTATIVE COMMITTEE ON PROGRAMME AND OPERATIONAL QUESTIONS (CCPOQ)

Fourth session

10 a.m.-1 p.m.	closed meeting	Conference Room 5
3 p.m.-6 p.m.	closed meeting	Conference Room 5

OTHER MEETINGS

MEETING BETWEEN THE COMMONWEALTH SECRETARY-GENERAL AND COMMONWEALTH PERMANENT REPRESENTATIVES

10 a.m.-1 p.m.	closed meeting	Conference Room 6

GROUP OF LATIN AMERICAN AND CARIBBEAN STATES: WORKING GROUP ON AN AGENDA FOR DEVELOPMENT

10.30 a.m.-1 p.m.	closed meeting	Conference Room 8

GROUP OF 27 OF THE GROUP OF 77 *(on the World Summit for Social Development)*

1.15 p.m.-2 p.m.	closed meeting	Conference Room A
3 p.m.-6 p.m.	closed meeting	Conference Room 1

WESTERN EUROPEAN AND OTHER STATES GROUP

3 p.m.-6 p.m.	closed meeting	Conference Room 8

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The AD HOC WORKING GROUP OF TASK MANAGERS ON SECTORAL ISSUES of the INTER-AGENCY COMMITTEE ON SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT will hold closed meetings *today*, 13 October, and Friday 14 October 1994, at 10 a.m. and 3 p.m. in Conference Room B.

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Seminar

The Seminar on Extreme Poverty and the Denial of Human Rights will take place at Headquarters *today*, 13 October 1994, at 10 a.m. and 3 p.m. in the Economic and Social Council Chamber.

FORTHCOMING MEETINGS

Friday, 14 October 1994

GENERAL ASSEMBLY

Forty-ninth session

Committees

SECOND COMMITTEE

3 p.m.	9th meeting	Conference Room 2

THIRD COMMITTEE

10 a.m.	5th meeting	Conference Room 1
3 p.m.	6th meeting	

SIXTH COMMITTEE

10 a.m.	12th meeting	Trusteeship Council Chamber

SIXTH COMMITTEE:

WORKING GROUP ON THE ELABORATION OF AN INTERNATIONAL CONVENTION DEALING WITH THE SAFETY AND SECURITY OF UNITED NATIONS AND ASSOCIATED PERSONNEL

3 p.m.	closed meeting	Trusteeship Council Chamber

ADVISORY COMMITTEE ON ADMINISTRATIVE AND BUDGETARY QUESTIONS

10.30 a.m.	closed meeting	Conference Room 10
3 p.m.	closed meeting	

The 17th meeting of the PREPARATORY COMMITTEE FOR THE FIFTIETH ANNIVERSARY OF THE UNITED NATIONS will be held* on Tuesday, 18 October 1994, at 10 a.m. in Conference Room 3. The draft agenda is contained in document A/AC.240/1994/L.13. The draft report (A/AC.240/1994/CRP.4/Rev.1) will be available on Friday, 14 October. An information note contained in document A/AC.240/1994/L.14 will be available on Monday, 17 October.

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* Subject to the availability of services.

OTHER MEETINGS

There will be meetings of the UNITED NATIONS DISARMAMENT FELLOWSHIP, TRAINING AND ADVISORY SERVICES PROGRAMME from 14 to 28 October 1994 at 10 a.m. and 3 p.m. in Conference Room C.

There will a closed meeting of the GROUP OF LAND-LOCKED DEVELOPING COUNTRIES on Friday, 14 October 1994, at 3 p.m. in Conference Room 8.

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Briefings

A briefing on the results of the Uruguay Round of Negotiations for African Countries will take place on Monday, 17 October 1994, at 11 a.m. in Conference Room 8. The briefing is intended for African Permanent Missions and delegations at the forty-ninth session of the General Assembly. It is organized by the Office of the Special Coordinator for Africa and the Least Developed Countries (OSCAL) of the Department for Policy Coordination and Sustainable Development, in cooperation with the United Nations Conference on Trade and Development and the Economic Commission for Africa.

Mr. Nitin Desai, Under-Secretary-General for Policy Coordination and Sustainable Development, will chair the briefing. Mr. Marcel Namfua, Trade Policy Adviser at UNCTAD, and Mr. Layashi Yaker, Executive Secretary of the Economic Commission for Africa, will make short presentations, followed by a discussion with participants.

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The Under-Secretary-General for Humanitarian Affairs will brief delegations on Monday, 17 October 1994, at 4 p.m. on item 22 of the agenda of the General Assembly entitled "Assistance in mine clearance". The conference room will be announced at a later date. The report of the Secretary-General for consideration under the item is contained in documents A/49/357 and Add.1

SUMMARY OF SCHEDULED MEETINGS

Wednesday, 12 October 1994

GENERAL ASSEMBLY

Forty-ninth session

28th plenary meeting

Conclusion of the general debate [9]

The General Assembly heard statements by H.E. Mr. Marcelino Lima, Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs of Guinea-Bissau; H.E. The Honourable Dean Barrow, Deputy Prime Minister and Minister for Foreign Affairs and Economic Development and Attorney-General of Belize; H.E. The Honourable William George Mallet, Deputy Prime Minister and Minister for Home Affairs, Foreign Affairs, Trade and Industry of Saint Lucia; H.E. Mr. Eugene Pursoo, Chairman of the Delegation of Grenada; and H.E. Mr. Jean-Marie Ngendahayo, Minister for Foreign Affairs and Cooperation of Burundi.

The Secretary General of the United Nations addressed the General Assembly.

A statement in the exercise of the right of reply was made by the representative of the Sudan.

The President made a statement.

The General Assembly decided to conclude its consideration of agenda item 9.

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Addendum to the summary of the 26th plenary meeting of the GENERAL ASSEMBLY (see *Journal* No. 1994/197, p.6): the following text should be added:

Tentative programme of work

The President drew the attention of the General Assembly to document A/INF/49/5/Add.1 which contained a tentative programme of work and schedule of plenary meetings for the months of October and November and to the fact that the addendum superseded document A/INF/49/5.

The President announced that the lists of speakers for all the items listed in document A/INF/49/5/Add.1 were open.

He also informed representatives that the Pledging Conference for Development Activities would be held on Tuesday, 1 November and Wednesday, 2 November, in the morning.

The President further informed members that the announcement of voluntary contributions to the 1995 programme of the Office of the United Nations High Commissioner for Refugees would take place on Friday, 11 November, in the morning.

Committees

SPECIAL POLITICAL AND DECOLONIZATION COMMITTEE (FOURTH COMMITTEE) 4th meeting

Requests for hearing

The Committee considered eight communications containing requests for hearing, two relating to Guam (A/C.4/49/4/Add.7-8) and six relating to Western Sahara (A/C.4/49/6 and Add.1-2, 6, 8 and 9), under agenda item 18, which it decided to grant.

Implementation of the Declaration on the Granting of Independence to Colonial Countries and Peoples [18]

Question of New Caledonia

Hearing of petitioners

On the basis of a decision taken at its 3rd meeting, the Committee heard a statement by Mr. Yann Céléné Uregei, Congrès Populaire (A/C.4/49/5/Add.1).

Question of Guam

Hearing of petitioners

In accordance with decisions taken at the outset of the meeting, the Committee heard statements by Ms. Marianne Rios, Guahan Landowners United, Inc. (A/C.4/49/6/Add.8) and Mr. Tony Artero (A/C.4/49/6/Add.7).

Question of Western Sahara

Hearing of petitioners

On the basis of decisions taken at the outset of the meeting, the Committee heard statements by Mr. Peter E. O'Rourke (A/C.4/49/6), Mr. Boukhari Ahmed, on behalf of the Frente Popular para la liberación de Saguia el-Hamra y de Río de Oro (Frente POLISARIO) (A/C.4/49/6/Add.1), Ms. Nina May, Paradigm 2000 (A/C.4/49/6/Add.6), Mr. Gerardo S. Gutierrez, Project Nehemiah Inc. (A/C.4/49/6/Add.8), Ms. Bernadette Paolo (A/C.4/49/6/Add.9) and Mr. Darnel Hendrickson (A/C.4/49/6/Add.2).

Mr. O'Rourke replied to a question posed to him by the representative of Morocco.

The representative of Morocco made a statement.

Organization of work

The Chairman made a statement.

5th meeting

Agenda items 18 (chapters of the report of the Special Committee of 24 relating to specific Territories not already covered by other items), 18, 81, 82, 83 and 12 and 84

The general debate began with statements by the representatives of Brazil (also on behalf of 12 members of the Rio Group - Argentina, Bolivia, Chile, Colombia, Ecuador, Guatemala, Mexico, Panama, Paraguay, Peru, Uruguay and Venezuela), Spain, Germany (on behalf of the European Union), New Zealand, Papua New Guinea, Algeria, Thailand, the United Kingdom, Kenya and Australia (on behalf of the States Members of the South Pacific Forum represented that are members of the United Nations).

The representative of the United Kingdom made a statement in the exercise of the right of reply.

The representative of Morocco reserved his statement in the exercise of the right of reply.

Organization of work

The Chairman made a statement.

SECOND COMMITTEE — 5th meeting

General debate

The Committee continued the general debate and heard statements by the representatives of Nigeria, Austria, Colombia, Tunisia, Papua New Guinea, Japan, the United States, Ukraine, Sri Lanka, Côte d'Ivoire, Bolivia, Rwanda, the Syrian Arab Republic and The Former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia.

6th meeting

The Committee continued the general debate and heard statements by the representatives of Kenya, the Sudan, Indonesia, Nepal, Romania, Pakistan, Jordan, Ethiopia, Uganda, the Republic of Korea, Azerbaijan and Ghana.

The representative of the World Bank made a statement.

7th meeting

The Committee continued the general debate and heard statements by the representatives of Poland, Belarus, Slovenia, Nicaragua, the Democratic People's Republic of Korea and Cuba.

The representative of the International Labour Organization made a statement.

The representatives of Greece and The Former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia made statements in the exercise of the right of reply.

SIXTH COMMITTEE — 10th meeting

Question of criteria for the granting of observer status in the General Assembly [157]

Statements were made by the representatives of Kenya, the United Kingdom, France, Austria, the Netherlands, Greece, the Russian Federation, Belgium, Germany, Kuwait and Ghana.

The Chairman also spoke.

Report of the Special Committee on the Charter of the United Nations and on the Strengthening of the Role of the Organization [140]

Statements were made by the representatives of Tunisia, New Zealand, Pakistan, Greece, Brazil, Singapore, Canada, Peru, Venezuela, Ecuador, Mozambique and Mexico.

The representatives of India and Pakistan made statements in the exercise of the right of reply.

Organization of work

The Chairman made a statement.

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Convention on the Rights of the Child

COMMITTEE ON THE RIGHTS OF THE CHILD
Seventh session
United Nations Office at Geneva

WEDNESDAY, 12 OCTOBER 1994

179th meeting

Consideration of reports of States parties [4]

The Committee concluded its consideration of the initial report of Argentina (CRC/C/8/Add.2).

In accordance with rule 68 of the provisional rules of procedure of the Committee, the representatives of the State Party were present at the meeting and replied to questions raised and comments made by members of the Committee.

180th (closed) meeting

Consideration of reports of States parties [4]

The Committee continued its consideration of the item in closed session.

SIGNATURES, RATIFICATIONS, ETC.

[MULTILATERAL TREATIES DEPOSITED WITH THE SECRETARY-GENERAL

Agreement relating to the Implementation of Part XI of the United Nations Convention on the Law of the Sea of 10 December 1982, adopted by the General Assembly on 28 July 1994

Signature: Swaziland (12 October 1994)

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Workshop

The Dag Hammarskjöld Library, Department of Public Information, will conduct a workshop on the utilization of information resources in the French language until *today*, 13 October 1994, for delegates and staff of Permanent Missions to the United Nations.

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Meeting

Thursday, 13 October 1994

STAFF COUNCIL

1.15 p.m. 2.30 p.m.	(open to staff members only)	Conference Room 5

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World Food Day

A special ceremony to mark World Food Day 1994, under the theme "Water for Life", will be held on Monday, 17 October 1994, at 10.30 a.m. in the Economic and Social Council Chamber.

The meeting will be addressed by H.E. Mr. Amara Essy, President of the forty-ninth session of the General Assembly, H.E. Mr. Boutros Boutros-Ghali, Secretary-General of the United Nations, H.E. Mr. Jamsheed K. A. Marker, Vice-President of the Economic and Social Council, H.E. Dr. Jacques Diouf, Director-General of the Food and Agriculture Organization of the United Nations, and H.E. The Right Honourable James Fitzallen Mitchell, P.C., M.P., Prime Minister of Saint Vincent and the Grenadines.

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